Since Maharashtra is facing acute power shortages particularly during peak hours, and RGPPL currently already has a stock of 34000 KL of Naphtha, the stocks of Naphtha available could be suitably augmented through fresh purchases of Naphtha to the extent that the pooled price is acceptable to Maharashtra.

Power projects for North Eastern Region

489. SHRI SILVIUS CONDPAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the ongoing and proposed power projects in North-Eastern States and the present status of these projects; and

(b) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE): (a) and (b) The details of ongoing projects in North-Eastern States is given in the Statement-I (*See* below). Further in consultation with Central Electricity Authority, the North-Eastern States have identified number of projects which could be taken up during Eleventh Plan and beyond. The list of these projects is given in the Statement-II.

Statement-I

On-going power Projects in North-Eastern States

Name of HEP	Capacity	State	Implementing Agency	Status
1	2	3	4	5
HYDRO				
(i) Kameng	600 MW	Ar. Pradesh	NEEPCO	The project is under execution & scheduled for commissioning in 2009-10.

1	2	3	4	5
(ii) Turial	60 MW	Mizoram	NEEPCO	Under hold since June 2004 due to law & order problem and being reviewed due to very high increase in cost.
(iii) Teesta-V	510 MW	Sikkim	NHPC	The project is under execution and scheduled for commissioning in 2006-07.
(iv) Subansiri Lower	2000 MW	Ar. Pradesh	NHPC	The project is under execution & scheduled for commission in 2010-11.
(v) Loktak D/S	90 MW	Manipur	NHPC	Works held up since long due to adverse law & order situation.
(vi) Karbi Langpi	100 MW	Assam	Govt. ofAssam	Works has resumed since October, 2004 and scheduled to be commissioned in 2006-07. Funds tied up with PFC, NEC & balance by Assam Govt.
(vii) Myntdu	84 MW	Meghalaya	Govt. of Meghalaya	The project is under execution and scheduled to be commissioned in 2008-09. Funds tied up with PFC, NEC and balance by Assam Govt.
THERMAL				
(i) Rokhia GT	21 MW	Tripura	Tripura State	Pre commissioning test is programmed

1	2	3	4	5
			Electricity Corporation Ltd.	on 25th February, 2006.
(ii)	HFO Based DGPP at Dimapur	22.92 MW	Nagaland Govt. of Nagaland	(i) The work is held up due to non release of balance funds. (ii) Foundations of all the engines and all fuel tanks have been cast. Civil works for the DG hall, Cooling Tower and DM Plant are in progress.

Statement-II

Power projects tentatively identified for commissioning in North-Eastern States in Eleventh Plan.

HYDRO

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	State	Agency	IC (MW)	Benefits 11th Plan
1.	Ranganadi-II	Ar.P	NEEPCO	130	130
2.	Kameng	Ar.P	NEEPCO	600	600
3.	(Pare) Dikrong	Ar.P	NEEPCO	110	110
4.	Dibbin	Ar.P	NEEPCO	100	100
5.	Badao	Ar.P	NEEPCO	120	120
6.	Kapak Layak	Ar.P	NEEPCO	160	160
7.	Talong	Ar.P	NEEPCO	300	300
8.	Subansiri Lower	Ar.P	NHPC	2000	2000
9.	Siang-Middle	Ar.P	NHPC	1000	1000
10.	Myntdu St-I	Megh.	MeSEB	84	84

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	State	Agency	IC (MW)	Benefits 11th Plan
11.	Umium Umtru St-V	Megh.	MeSEB	36	36
12.	New Umtru	Megh.	MeSEB	40	40
13.	Ganol	Megh.	MeSEB	25	25
14.	Tuivai	Manipur	PDD	51	51
15.	Bairabi	Mizoram	PDD	80	80
16.	Upper Borpani	Assam	ASEB	60	60
17.	Teesta St IV	Sikkim	NHPC	495	495
18.	Teesta St II	Sikkim	Him Urja	330	330
19.	Teesta St III	Sikkim	IPP	1200	1200
20.	Teesta St VI	Sikkim	IPP	360	360
			TOTAL:	7341	6741
THERMAL					
1.	Lakwa WH		Assam	38	38
2.	Amguri GBCC		Assam	90	60
3.	Namrup Extn. GBCC		Assam	100	100
4.	Garo Hills Coal Based		Meghalaya	360	360
5.	DG Set		Nagaland	22.92	22.92
6.	Baramura TPP		Tripura	21	21
7.	Tripura GBPP		Tripura	750	750
			TOTAL:	1381.92	1351.92

Division of State electrictiy boards

490. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken any policy decision to divide the different State Electricity Boards into separate companies;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and